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EXAMINING GROUP 1713

PATENT
2809-0126P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Naoya ICHIKAWA et al. Conf.: 9038
Appl. No.: 10/615,839 Group: 1713
Filed: July 10, 2003 Examiner: Egwim
For: DEPROTEINIZING AGENT, DEPROTEINIZED NATURAL RUBBER
LATEX USING THE SAME, AND METHOD OF PRODUCING
RUBBER PRODUCT

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Va. 22313

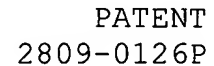
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Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application in response to the Official Action of January 26, 2005.

Claims 1-3 and 9-11 are cancelled.

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LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM
FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Transmitted herewith is a Request for Reconsideration Under 37 CFR 1.116 in the above-identified application.

☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

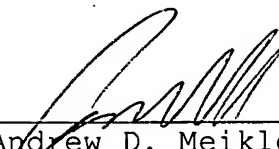
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	11	-	20	=	0	\$50	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	-	4	=	0	\$200	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$360	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

- ☐ Petition for () month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$0.00 for the extension of time.
- ☒ No fee is required.
- ☐ Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is(are) enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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